

## TELEGRAPHIC.

WINNIPEG, May 28.

There were 92 deaths from Cholera in Egypt yesterday.

A six year old boy lost his life in a fire at Brandon yesterday.

A serious febian movement is reported to be on foot in England.

Documents favorable to Venezuela have been discovered in Rome.

Cuban insurgents blew up a railway train injuring several soldiers.

Gen. Barattiera commanding the Italian forces in Abyssinia will be indicted.

The Norwegian barque, Brodrene, was wrecked in the Gulf of St. Lawrence.

Fighting between Germans and Hottentots is reported from German South Africa.

All whiskey distilleries in the Eastern States will cease operations for a year on Sept. 1st.

A cyclone caused great destruction and loss of life at St. Louis, Mo. Fifteen hundred were killed.

The deaths from the Victoria disaster are placed at fifty. A trolley car went through the bridge and all were drowned.

## TO-DAY'S TRAIN.

One car flour for H. B. Co., one car implements for W. W. Davidson, one car merchandise for Kenneth Mackenzie Co., two cars merchandise for various parties.

## LOCAL.

TRAIN left Calgary on time.

Mrs. J. M. Lay has gone to visit her friends in Eastern Canada.

Butter 12c. to 15c. Eggs 8c. to 10c. per dozen. Potatoes 15c. per bushel.

Miss McKay, who has been visiting Mrs. Cowie, left this morning for Fort Simpson.

Mrs. Christie, who has been visiting Mrs. M. Groat, left this morning for Fort Simpson.

James McKay, Q. C., has been selected as the conservative candidate for Saskatchewan.

Don't fail to attend the Ladies' Hospital Aid Spider Web Social in Robertson Hall next Tuesday night.

The regular meeting of the St. George's society will be held on Tuesday June 3rd, at 8 p. m., at the Spider Web social takes place on that date.

H. C. Taylor nominated by W. T. Henry and A. H. Goodwin was elected a school trustee yesterday in place of J. D. McBride.

No other nominations were made.

Rev. L. O. Stronach and Mrs. Stringer arrived on Monday's train and left this morning for Fort McPherson about 200 miles from the Arctic coast on Peel River.

The Alberta Tribune contains the election address of S. J. Clarke to the electors of Alberta. He commends them as an independent conservative. His platform is lengthy. Mr. Clarke is proprietor of the Queen's Hotel, Calgary.

The Queen's Birthday was celebrated very quietly in Edmonton. The North Star bicycle club made a run to Fort Saskatchewan, numbers of the citizens drove out to various points, and several of the young men indulged in the luxury of saddle horses on which to take their pleasure.

At the meeting of the Guild of St. Agnes held on Wednesday evening, it was decided to abandon the idea of working for a bell for the new church and to devote the entire money raised to paying off the debt on the building. The Guild will furnish lunch in their usual style on Dominion day on the race course.

The English Church Sunday School picnic on Monday to Groat's grove proved a very pleasant and enjoyable one. About sixty children partook of tea and a plentiful supply of the goodies that children like, and which was served in genuine picnic fashion. After tea, races were run and sports indulged in till sunset when they were brought back to town.

OLIVER SANDERSON is in town from Athabasca Landing. He says that three children died from lung disease in one family last winter and pneumonia was very prevalent at the Landing. He thinks much of young people have been prevented if a physician had been there. Bishop Young and his helpers did all in their power to aid the sufferers, but a duly qualified practitioner might have done much more.

The Young Albertans had a rosinus meeting last night in the Taylor block. The president Frank Osborne was in the chair. Speeches were delivered by M. McCauley, J. A. McDougall, T. Bellamy, C. W. Suter, S. C. Wilson, C. M. Woodworth, R. Foster, P. Goodwin and J. A. Shera. Campaign choruses were sung with gusto and the utmost enthusiasm was maintained throughout. Arrangements were made for attending the meeting to be held at South Edmonton to-night.

On Saturday afternoon a meeting was held in the old Masonic hall Taylor block at which a considerable number of young ladies present who formed themselves into a branch society of the ladies hospital aid for the purpose of providing medicines for the poor patients. The branch society is for the present year to be presided over by Mrs. Kinnaird a member of the main society of which they will be to a large extent independent. The object is a worthy one deserving of all the assistance and success with which we hope it will meet.

On Monday a football match was played at South Edmonton on between a selected team from this place and the following team from Edmonton: Forwards, H. Hoey, W. Griesbach, T. R. Haddad, H. C. Grierson and A. McLeod; half backs, J. W. Kelly, C. Armistead and A. G. Harrison; backs, A. E. Lee and W. Short (captain); Goal, H. Aldridge. The high wind interfered with the game and prevented any exciting contest. Each side scored one goal thus ending the match in a draw. The South Edmonton team provided dinner for the visitors at the Raymond Hotel. After dinner a number of toasts were drunk and an enjoyable time was spent.

C. G. Ross, of Innisfail, came up on Monday night's train, and returned next morning.

FOR SALES: N. W. Gould, Wetaskiwin, to Jas. Walsh \$16.50; Ross & Adamson, Fort Saskatchewan, to W. B. Stennett \$73.75.

The attention of enumerators and deputy returning officers is called to the particulars as to their duties which appear elsewhere in this issue.

T. A. STEPHEN, deputy returning officer, returned on Tuesday from his trip through the eastern portion of his district where he made the appointments noted in another column.

JOHN WALLACE came in last night from Rapid City. He brought a nice lot of furs which he sold at the Landing. He reports very plentiful during the winter and trade good. He brought in a full grown male live-marten as a present to W. B. Stennett from one of the traders.

The following school districts have been proclaimed: The Limestone Lake school district No. 412 is proclaimed, and Ole K. Froiness, Ole Sundahl and Ole Thompson have been elected trustees. The Lacerte public school district No. 418 with Wm. Miller, Frank Boudreau and George Andrews, trustees.

The Northwest Gazette announces the following appointments: To be commissioners, Joseph Bird, Brancepeth, Peter Wiloughby King, Calgary. To be issuer of marriage license, Joseph Doolittle, of Qu'Appelle. To be fire guardians, Wm. Harper and C. G. Bird, Brancepeth. To be game guardian, C. T. Bird, Brancepeth. The resignation of John Carrett, of Pincher Creek as J. P. is accepted.

## COUNCIL MEETING.

A meeting of the town council was held in the council chamber on Tuesday evening. Present the mayor and all the councillors except Councillor Edmonston.

Communications were read from H. S. Westbrook, C. Turgeon, Miss Grardine Roy, K. A. McLeod, A. G. Randall, E. A. Braithwaite, Chemical Fire Engine Co. Petition from sports committee.

The report of A. G. Randall, returning officer showed that 110 votes had been cast in favor of the by-law and five against it.

The treasurer's report showed a balance of \$636.25 on hand. The auditors report was also presented and showed that \$455.21 taxes had been paid since April 30th. That \$9.12 still due on 1894 taxes, and that negotiations for favorable investment of the sinking funds are in progress.

The minutes of last meeting were read and confirmed.

Sitter-McCauley. That contract for sidewalk under petition No. 1, of 1896, be approved and the tender read before the council meeting of 28th April.

McCauley-Sutter. That by-law No. 116 having been ratified by the vote of the ratepayers be now read again and finally passed.

The by-law was then read and declared finally passed and duly executed.

McCauley-Cowie. That the clerk be instructed to notify Edmonton District Railway Co. that the town is now authorized by by-law to subscribe for shares to the amount of \$50,000 on conditions to be arranged between the council and the railway company.

Meeting was then adjourned till Tuesday next, June 2nd.

## THE MINSTREL SHOW.

"The Komikal Koons" occupied the boards at Robertson Hall on Monday and Tuesday last. The circle consisted of eleven "Koons" of which A. G. Randall was centre man. The stage itself was tastefully decorated and the rise of the curtain showed little Grace Walker and Clara Lauder in sailor costumes clinging to some rigging above the centre man. On Monday evening the opening chorus was "Rocky Mountain Lion" by the company; E. L. Smith sang the ballad "Katie Darling"; J. K. Macdonald's rendering of "The Girl I Left Behind" was fairly good, but H. E. Devlin cannot be said to have shined in his singing of "Must I leave the old Home." The end songs "Ma Angelina," by S. Garnham, "The Dandy colored coon," by C. F. Filtess, "The Ragtime Rag" by Norman Jackson, and "The Alabama Coon" by A. H. Anthony, as might be expected were more lively than the ballads and were better received.

Mr. Anthony receiving an encore for the "Alabama Coon." The first part closed by the singing of "God Bless the Queen of Canada" by A. G. Randall. Part two consisted of a trio on the banjo, guitar and Mandolin, by Messrs. Filtess, Anthony and Plowright which was encored, as was also S. Garnham's plantation song, and "Private Tommy Atkins," by A. H. Anthony. Part three consisted of a burlesque sketch "Wagner Outwaged" in which A. G. Randall as Professor Sheepskin manipulated the big drum, A. H. Anthony as slipper thief, and the character J. K. Macdonald as "The piratical Baron" was picturesque, C. Filtess as "Baron of South Edmonton" was stylish, R. Hockley as "Razzorine" was a villain with a weak voice, S. Garnham as "Edgarlo" was smart, and N. Jackson as "Madame Squallone" in fancy bloomers proved himself a poor bicyclist. The whole sketch was laughable and seemed to be thoroughly enjoyed by the large audience. "Won't you be my sweetheart?" was sung by Clara Lauder and encored. The concluding scene was a spectacular piece entitled "Britannia" in which Miss A. Robertson represented "Britannia" and was flanked on either side by representatives of the navy and different branches of the military service, the whole being illuminated while A. G. Randall sang "Rule Britannia."

On Tuesday evening the first part of the programme consisted of ballads and songs by the same performers as on the previous evening. Part two was "Fun in a Restaurant," in which the various parts were made out by the most of those taking part. The waiters "Jim and Aleck," Messrs. Anthony and Jackson were good and did most of the business, though S. Garnham as "Lolly"

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produced some peculiar articles from the pie set before him and his "Clementine." E. L. Smith: A live dog, a shoe, a boot-jack, and other useful articles composed the contents of his pie. A. G. Randall, H. E. Devlin, C. Filtess, and R. Hockley took the minor parts of Windy Whiskers, Milwaukee Bricks, A backward man, and Mrs. Deaf ear, respectively. Part three was opened with a "Banjo Olio" in which Messrs Randall, Filtess, Plowright Hockley and Anthony took part and were encored. S. Garnham sang "Old Black Joe," in character and was encored. "My first wife," a character song by C. Filtess, was also encored, while Miss Clara Lauder's singing of "I don't want to play in your yard," set to E. B. Mann's music, which she sang, "Won't you be my sweetheart." The closing scene was the spectacular "Britannia" as on the previous evening. The efforts of the performers were well received and appreciated by the audience and the boys are to be congratulated on the evident success which attended their efforts. A specially prepared box was set apart for the conservative candidate and his party who attended each evening and were provided with programmes printed on blue silk.

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## Political Meetings

FRANK OLIVER, Independent Liberal Candidate, will hold meetings as follows:

SOUTH EDMONTON, Thursday, May 28, at 8 p. m., Parrish's Hall.

FORT SASKATCHEWAN, Friday, May 29th, at 8 p. m., in Bremner's Hall.

ST. ALBERT, Saturday, May 30th, at 8 p. m.

EDMONTON, Monday, June 1st, at 8 p. m. in Robertson's Hall.

The Conservative candidate and any other candidate for Alberta is invited and will be given an opportunity to address each meeting.

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EDMONTON BULLETIN, MAY 25TH, 1896.

### TIRED OF THE OLD PARTY.

There is quite a commotion in the conservative ranks owing to the withdrawal of ex-Mayor A. F. Mulhern, president of the conservative association of Cornwall and Stormont. Mr. Mulhern was the organizer of the conservative association here, and his loss to the tory party will be keenly felt. He addresses the following letter to the local press.

"To the executive of the conservative association of Cornwall and Stormont, James Anderson, Esq., secretary:

"Gentlemen,—I hereby tender my resignation as president of the conservative association of Cornwall and Stormont, and also desire to state that I have decided to withdraw from the conservative party. I feel that I should express to my many warm friends in the conservative ranks in Cornwall and Stormont my appreciation and gratitude to them for their many kindnesses and loyalty to me while president of the association. Before deciding to retire from the party I have given the matter full and deliberate consideration, and I have come to the conclusion that I cannot, consistently with the views I now hold, endorse the policy of the conservative party as developed during the last session of parliament, Sir Mackenzie Bowell having been treated most unfairly by the men who are now accepted as the leaders to fill the positions of the great statesmen, the late Sir John Macdonald and the late Sir John Thompson. I feel it would be subordinating my common sense and intelligence if I supported them in the coming campaign. For years I have stood by the conservative cause, while not at all times in accord with their policy; but, rather than accept the plank in the liberal platform of unrestricted reciprocity of commercial union with the United States, I assisted in my humble way in opposing that plank in their platform, and which platform, and which question were unequivocally repudiated by the people of Canada at the polls, they being uncompromisingly hostile to any policy that savors of unpatriotic influence in the relationship which unites us to the motherland. The liberals have, as I understand, wisely accepted the verdict, and the question of unrestricted reciprocity or commercial union has disappeared from the arena of practical politics. Now that the Hon. Wilfrid Laurier has declared openly for the re-adjustment of the tariff upon wise and conservative lines, and not with the view of destroying the industries of the country, and believing that the common sense of the people is strongly in favor of a purer and more economical administration in the expenditure of the people's money, and that they will not support any further additions to the national debt of Canada (which is now at the limit line) by such financing as the Curran bridge, Sonlagues canal, etc., etc., I now throw in my lot with the Hon. Wilfrid Laurier, believing he will administer the affairs of the country with wisdom, honesty and patriotism, and will advocate a strong, vigorous immigration policy which may be the means of populating our western provinces and bringing back some return to the people of Canada for the millions they have already spent in opening out that fertile country. This will certainly be a great means of stimulating and assisting the prosperity of our manufacturing industries in the east.

"I furthermore believe that the Hon. Wilfrid Laurier will make every effort to secure reciprocity treaties upon fair terms with all nations, which will largely assist in expanding the trade of the Dominion and place us in line with the motherland, whose tremendous trade to-day is the envy and jealousy of the civilized world.

"Believe me, your obedient servant,  
A. F. Mulhern."

### A TRAVELLER'S VIEWS.

An interview was had with Mr. M. Lamont, traveller for S. F. McKinnon & Co., Toronto, upon the trade question. The gentleman said: "My views on the tariff issue now before the country are briefly these: As a traveller, who has crossed the ocean 30 times and has met all classes and conditions of men and heard all sides of the trade question discussed, I would say that so far as Canada in her present situation is concerned the true policy for her is one of enlargement of trade upon other than absolute free trade grounds, but yet not upon the lines laid down by the present protectionist government of Canada. If

the liberal party should be returned to power, and I fully believe they will be at the next general election. I am of opinion that their treatment of the tariff will not be drastic, but will be a gradual reversion to the sound and politic system under which revenue can be raised without undue oppression of the masses or unfair discrimination in favor of the classes. I am no free trade doctrinaire. I do not conceive it possible to make ducks and drakes of a fiscal policy which has had a footing in this country for the past eighteen years. But I am an advocate of freedom of trade in the widest possible sense of the term. I want no artificial barriers built up. I desire no Chinese wall to shut us out from communication with the world at large. All I advocate is that we in this Canada of ours have the liberty to deal with our neighbors and the world at large on lines broad enough to give us a show and let us fight out our commercial destiny fairly and freely. There should be no exclusiveness in our tariff. There should be no ultra-protectionism, certainly no favoritism. Re-adjustment can be effected by slow degrees so as to bring this young nation in touch with the civilized globe in commercial concerns. And if leader Laurier were in power to-morrow the work of re-adjustment would at once begin."

### HON. HUGH JOHN MACDONALD'S POSITION.

The Globe says: "Bribery, intimidation and hypocrisy mark every feature of the Tupper campaign. In Ontario the Tory manufacturers have been rounded up for the government, and we may be sure they are paying a market price for privileges under Tupper, and the lash intimidation will be applied to the backs of their workmen. A year or so ago Hugh John Macdonald said in the commons: "I am ready to oppose to the best of my ability any attempt to interfere with the Manitoba school act or similar legislation from any other province, and, if necessary, strong party man as I am, I am ready to carry my proposition so far for the time being as to throw party ties to the winds, and vote want of confidence in the party I am elected to support, and of whose general policy I heartily approve." But the party exigencies were stronger than Mr. Macdonald. To-day he is a member of a coercive government, and he is asking the province threatened with federal intervention to surrender its rights and let the government throw its educational affairs into confusion, and establish the infliction of educational jurisdiction over the Western Canada. The French-Canadian ministers have agreed that they are masters on this question. If Tupper succeeds they will make government impossible unless their demands are conceded. The new French ministers are a set of medieval reactionaries, out of touch with all liberal sentiment and modern spirit. If Tupper succeeds the new parliament will be the theatre of a racial and religious conflict. The material interests of the country will be sacrificed to the squabbles of a set of parish partisans, and millions of the people's money will be thrown away and there as may be necessary to silence the clamorous factions, reconcile the conflicting interests, heal the divisions and avert disruptions."

### GENERAL NEWS.

A telegram from Ottawa of May 23, says: If the present state of trade continues there will be another big deficit to report at the close of the year. The exports for the last month show a decrease of \$115,000, and the imports also show a decrease of one million dollars as compared with the same last year, when there was also a very poor showing.

Moscow, May 21.—The czar and czarina made their triumphal entry into this city this afternoon amid the thunder of batteries of artillery, the clanging of countless bells and cheers of a vast multitude of loyal Russians and equally enthusiastic visitors from all parts of the empire. Probably never in the history of nations has there been such an assemblage of people. Possibly the gorgeous scene may never be repeated in its grand entirety.

Official notice is given in the Canada Gazette that the King of Norway is sending a balloon expedition to the north pole, and all British subjects in Canada are requested to give the explorers, should an opportunity present itself, all help in their power. If the balloon be seen only, and no communication be had with the exploring party, it is requested that the following particulars be noted, and communicated either to local newspapers, or to some learned body; namely, the day and hour in which the balloon was seen, direction of the balloon, and the direction of the wind. Should any accident befall the explorers, and should they arrive in any locality having lost their balloon, the inhabitants are asked to give them all possible assistance.

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## QUALIFICATION FOR VOTERS.

Every male person is entitled to vote who is not an Indian, but is a British subject, either by birth or by naturalization, of the full age of 21 years, and has resided in the Northwest Territories for at least one year immediately preceding the date of the writ of election, April 24th, 1896, and in the district of Alberta at least three months immediately prior to the same date. It is not necessary to be a householder or have any property qualification, but in order to vote, a man must have resided in the Territories from the 24th April, 1895, to the 24th April, 1896, and in Alberta from the 24th January, 1896, to the 24th April, 1896. No person can vote whose name is not on the list of voters prepared by the enumerator. The law has been changed, in this respect, since last election. An enumerator appointed by returning officer prepares a list of voters in each polling division and posts up two copies of such list in public places within the polling division eight days before polling day (viz. June 15th). Application may be made to the enumerator any time up to June 20th, by any credible person to have new names added or names struck off or corrections made in the description of voters, and the enumerator, if satisfied of the justice of the application shall make the required alterations. No one whether properly qualified or not can vote if his name is not on the voters' list as certified by the enumerator on June 20th.

## FORT SASKATCHEWAN.

A large meeting of the liberal association was held in the committee rooms on Saturday, 23rd, inst. Meetings have been arranged at outside points to be held during the week. Great enthusiasm prevailed and large committees were appointed to secure the completion of the lists. Resolutions were passed condemning the action of the president of the conservative association for his change of front.

The N. W. M. P. band paraded in front of Cochrane's committee rooms to-day, May 25th, and serenaded the government candidate. The long-suffering liberal party will surely not object to this as using a government band is no worse than using the people's money for their own election purposes.

The free and independent electors in this district are wondering if the government candidate is going to build a bridge here as well as at Edmonton.

The latest campaign lie is that the railroad is going to be built right away. We hope they will get a few telegrams and keep the people posted reshipment of rails, &c., as was done last election in Winnipeg when the Hudson's Bay railway was the bait.

May 25th, 1896.

## LACOMBE LINKS.

One car settlers effects came in last week and four or five settlers.

The annual district meeting of the Methodist church was held in the Methodist church here on Monday and Tuesday of last week. We understand all the ministers of the district were present excepting Mr. Lock, of Red Deer, who was detained on account of his child being sick. The Rev. Mr. Dean gave his lime light views on Monday evening.

Nelson Standish, one of our oldest and most respected settlers, who is a large strong man in the prime of life, has become almost blind. He first began to notice it in February last when he thought it was snow blindness but as it is getting worse instead of better and not being able to get any benefit from treatment by local physicians, he is talking of going east to consult a specialist.

Dr. Richardson performed an operation on the leg of Edith Bradshaw, who is about eight years old, and daughter of Thos. Bradshaw, hotel keeper. We understand the foot from the ankle had been crooked and required to have some cords cut to straighten it. So far as can be seen yet the operation was successful, and the little patient is bearing the confinement as patiently as an energetic child could be expected to.

The grain is coming on fine now and it looks nice and green over the fields again.

We are having fine weather with occasional showers.

A good many farmers have their seeding done.

The grass is now a good length and the stock are picking up fast.

It is with sorrow and regret that today we have to chronicle the loss by death of Mrs. Wm. Burris, wife of our esteemed postmaster, who passed away on Friday last. She had only been sick some five days. For two days previous to her death she was unconscious. The disease was inflammation of the brain. She was buried in Lacombe cemetery, the funeral taking place on Saturday at 3 p.m. The Rev. Mr. Fernie conducting the services assisted by Rev. Mr. Chegwinn. The possession was the largest that has ever attended a funeral in this place, showing the high esteem in which she and the beloved were held in the community. She was a member of the Presbyterian church, and a faithful worker in every thing connected therewith especially the Sabbath school, and leaves a vacancy which will be hard to fill.

She leaves to mourn her loss a faithful husband, a son and daughter, both grown up and although they are step-children, all seemed to be bound together by the ties of love.

## Farms For Sale!

Being desirous of attending to my own business, I offer for sale the following:

One quarter section at Sandy Lake, including 11 acres, log house, 20 acres broken and fenced, best bargain ever offered in the country.

One quarter section at Horse Hills, well fenced, extra bargain.

One extra good quarter section at Poplar Lake. No improvements. Terms easy.

I will sell or rent half section at Poplar Lake, 125 acres broken, 100 acres in crop, house, stable and outbuildings, two springs of water on the farm, skimming station 10 rods from the door, whole half section well fenced. Also with the farm I will sell on easy terms, 20 acres, 27 bays, 20 head of cattle, seed, plows, harrows, wagon, binder, fanning mill, etc., etc. Any person wishing to purchase or rent may do so up to July 1st.

C. M. WOODWORTH, Barrister,  
McLELLIN Block, Edmonton.

## MORTGAGE SALE

OF VALUABLE

## Farm Property!

Under and virtue of a certain memorandum of mortgage made in pursuance of the Land Titles Act, 1894, and amendments thereto, made in pursuance of the said Act, there will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale by public auction by Walter S. Robertson, auctioneer, on Saturday, June 20th, 1896, at 2 p.m., at Robertson's hall, in the Town of Edmonton, the following property:

Said property is situated in the St. Albert Settlement, in the District of Alberta, in the Northwest Territories, being the farm now owned by Victor Lawrence, comprising three hundred and twenty-five (325) acres, more or less. There are twenty-five (25) acres broken, and house, stable and outbuildings on the farm.

Said property is sold subject to a mortgage to the Manitoba Mortgage & Investment Company of \$200.00 and interest.

TERMS—Twenty-five per cent at time of sale, balance within 30 days, at which time possession will be given.

Further terms and conditions will be made known at the time of sale. For further particulars apply to

W. S. ROBERTSON, C. M. WOODWORTH,  
Auctioneer. Vendor's Advocate.

## MORTGAGE SALE

OF VALUABLE

## Farm Property!

Pursuant to the order and direction of the Honorable Mr. Justice Scott and under and virtue of a certain registered mortgage made in pursuance of the Land Titles Act, 1894, and amendments thereto, which mortgage will be produced at the date of sale, there will be offered for sale by public auction on Saturday the 20th day of June, 1896, at Robertson's hall, in the Town of Edmonton, at the hour of two p.m., the following property:

Lot numbered six (6) in the Fort Saskatchewan Settlement, in the District of Alberta, in the Northwest Territories of Canada, and containing two hundred and sixty-six (266) acres, be the same more or less, as shown on a map or plan of said Settlement made by M. Deane, D. L. S., and approved and confirmed May 14th, 1894, at Ottawa.

This property is more particularly described as the farm of the late Nancy Taylor, situate in the Village of Fort Saskatchewan, in the District of Alberta.

Terms and conditions of sale and further particulars and descriptions of the property will be made known at the date of sale or on application to

H. C. TAYLOR,  
Vendor's Advocate.

Or to W. S. ROBERTSON, Auctioneer.

## NOTICE!

North-West Territories,  
District of Alberta,  
To All:

## LAND TITLES ACT, 1894.

In the matter of that certain registered mortgage made by John E. Umbach to the Dominion Building & Loan Association, and in the matter of the lands and premises therein described.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the order of the Honorable Mr. Justice Scott, made herein on the 17th day of May, 1896, that the following lands are offered for sale, to-wit:

Lot seventy-seven (77) and seventy-eight (78), River lot eight (8), Plan "B," Edmonton.

And take further notice that Saturday, the 4th day of July, 1896, is the date fixed by said order upon or after which the said mortgages may make application for and obtain absolute title for foreclosure of all the estate, right, title, interest and equity of redemption of the mortgagor, or of any part thereof, pursuant to the provisions of the said Land Titles Act, 1894.

Dated at Edmonton this 13th day of May, A. D. 1896.

BECK & EMERY,  
Advocates for the Dominion Building & Loan Association, the Mortgagees.

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Look at the large assortment of

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All the northwest-quarter of Section three (3), in Township fifty-five (55), in Range twenty-four (24) west of the Fourth Meridian, in the District of Alberta, in the Northwest Territories of Canada, containing 160 acres more or less.

This property is more particularly described as the farm of Thomas R. Haddon, situate near Namsa Post Office in the Sturgeon River Settlement, in the District of Alberta.

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Fort Saskatchewan, Mar. 2, '96.

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